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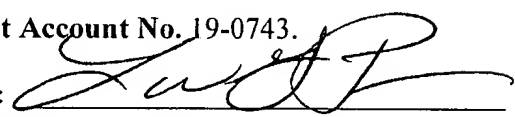
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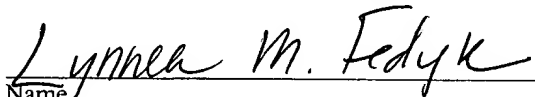
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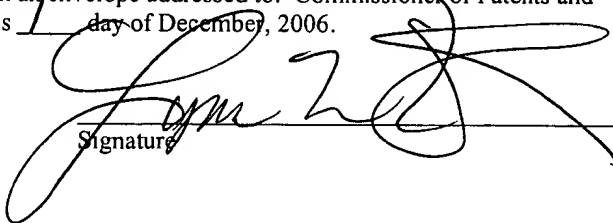
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automatically obtaining status information relating to a commerce-related event in response to a status query to a common carrier information system, wherein the status information is received from the common carrier information system over a network;  
storing the status information in a status database relating to the commerce-related event, the common carrier information system generating the status information;  
retrieving said status information from the status database;  
automatically generating a status message reflective of said status information; and  
automatically forwarding said status message to a point where it may be accessed by an interested party. - -, therefor.

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